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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of April 29, 2008, amendment to the above-identified patent application as well as the entry of the following remarks are requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.